1. Why do people work?

To earn money, keep active, and identity.

1. What is your identity at this time in your life?

Student, son, and waiter.

1. What factors affect career choices?

Values and lifestyle, aptitudes and inteterests, and personal qualities.

1. Define “values”. List three of you parents’ values and three of your own.

Values are the ideals in life that are important to you. My parents values are family, money and themselves. My values are money, my family, and myself.

1. What is an aptitude? Why is it important to know what your aptitudes are?

An aptitude is a natural ability. If you know your aptitudes, then you can find a career you are naturally good at.

1. What are personal qualities? List three of yours.

Personal qualities are things that make you unique. Mine are organization, good attitude, and creative.

1. What are four major steps in good career planning?

Self analysis, research, plan of action, and re-evaluation.

1. Why do people need to set goals in life?

They provide a sense of direction and purpose in life.

1. What are (a) short-term, (b) intermediate, and (c) long term goals?

Short term is within a week, intermediate is within a year, and long term is for the rest o your future.

1. List five sources of job opportunity information.

Contacts, school counciling and placement services, public and private employment agencies, newspaper, yellow pages, and private job listings, and online job information.

1. How can you establish personal contacts within a business where you don’t know someone?

Try to get to know people who can tell you about openings.

1. What types of placement services are available at your school?

Programs that assist students in preparing for careers, making career choices, and securing part or full-time work.

14. Where can you find job opportunity information online?

Web sites that have job posts and that send your resume to companies

15. Why is a plan important to the success of your job search?

It keeps you organized.